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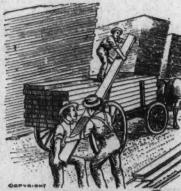
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Provincial Exhibition

In a province with the opportunities there are in Alberta, it is most difficult to secure adequate help on the dairy farms. It is becoming more difficult in the thickly settled and older provinces, and the milking machine is now taking a more important place in the necessary equipment of the dairy farm, and yet up to the present there is not a milking machine in operation in Alberta. For this reason the directors of the Provincial Exhibition to be held at Calgary June 30th to July 7th, decided to obtain a herd of 20 dairy cows and conduct a milking machine demonstration during the exhibition. The dairy herd will be tied by three or four different kinds of up-to-date stanchions. Prof. Elliott, superintendent of the C. P. R. demonstration farm, who has had wide experience with milking machines, is taking charge of this department, and will give instructive lectures each day during the fair. The demonstration will be in the large sale building where there is seating accommodation for over 1000 people.

One of the attractions of the exhibition secured at an enormous expense, is Alber's ten snow white polar bears. These bears are beautifully trained, and recently delighted the audiences at the New York Hippodrome, the largest theatre on the continent. It speaks well for the exhibition when an act such as this is brought from New York's largest theatre where the stage is over 200 feet wide and practically 10,000 people see their wonderful programs daily, and only the best acts are fortunate enough to secure engagements at this theatre.

The Navassar Ladies' Band which is coming to the exhibition is quite equal to the most famous male bands.

Entries for the exhibition close June 18th.

Big Money at Stake

The first news of the fight between the Province of Alberta and the Canadian Pacific Railway in the courts of England has been received by the authorities at Edmonton. It is to the effect that two of the most eminent counsel in the whole of Great Britain will be engaged in the argument of this taxation case which means to the province the loss or gain of about \$26,000,000.

The C. P. R. have engaged Sir Robert Finlay, M. P., former attorney-general of the United Kingdom, to act as their representative, and the Province of Alberta will be represented by Sir Edward Henry Carson. The argument in the case will not be held until the end of this month.

Sir Edward Carson, who will be assisted by Sidney B. Woods, deputy attorney-general of Alberta, was created a knight in 1900. He has represented the constituency of

Dublin University in the British House of Commons continuously since 1892. He is a King's counsel, a bencher of King's Inn, Dublin, and a bencher of the Middle Temple. He was appointed solicitor-general for Ireland in 1892 and from 1900 to 1906 was solicitor-general for the United Kingdom in the Balfour cabinet. Sir Edward was born in 1854, and was educated at Trinity College, Dublin.

Sir Robert Bannatyne Finlay, G. C. M. G., privy councillor, K. C., LL. D., and G. L., was born July 11, 1842, at Edinburgh. He was educated in Edinburgh Academy and University and graduating in medicine and law, was called to the bar in 1867. He is a bencher of the Middle Temple. From 1895 to 1900 he was solicitor-general of the United Kingdom and from 1900 to 1906 attorney-general. He retired from the House of Commons in 1906, but has since been re-elected.

Election Writs Issued

Edmonton, June 7.—Writs were issued for the bye-elections today in Vermillion, Medicine Hat and Lethbridge districts. Premier Sifton will run in Vermillion, Judge Mitchell in Medicine Hat, and A. J. McLean in Lethbridge. Nominations will take place on Wednesday, June 22, and the elections on Wednesday June 29.

Archie Campbell member for Vermillion has resigned in favor of the premier, who expects to be elected by acclamation. Hon. C. R. Mitchell, the new minister of education and attorney general, will have opposition in Medicine Hat. Hon. A. J. McLean, provincial secretary, expects to be elected by acclamation.

The bye-elections in Macleod and Gleichen will not be held until later. It is the intention of the government to secure the endorsement of the people to the new ministers before bringing on the elections in the other ridings.

Crossfield Cricket Club

Every Tuesday afternoon the above club will meet in Crossfield for practice, and it is earnestly hoped that all members and intending members will then turn out for practice, as matches are being arranged with clubs up and down the line. The executive of the club are doing their utmost to make this the first season of the club a success, but without the hearty co-operation of the members this will be impossible, so they look to the rank and file to back them up. The game of cricket is somewhat new to Crossfield, but if everyone interested will add their little bit, there is no reason why this grand old game should not hold a permanent place in the sports of this section of the country. If you have not played before come and try it, you will be pleased and always welcome. The first match will be played early in July, so practice must begin at once. Any particulars will be given by the genial secretary-treasurer, Mr. Bert Thomas.

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F. H. SCHOOLEY,

EDITOR.

FRIDAY, JUNE 10, 1910.

Big Fight Will Be a Fake

The forthcoming prize fight be-
tween Jeffries and Johnson for the
heavy-weight championship of the
world is now the all-absorbing topic for
newspaper discussion. The fight is
to take place in California on
July 4. There are two or three
different guesses on the outcome, but Governor Gillett, of California,
seems to have the situation sized up
about right. He declares it is a
"frame up" and that Jeffries' is
slated to win.

"All fights are fakes," said the
California executive. "I don't want to
have anything to do with them or
with anybody connected with them."

The Jeffries-Johnson fight is
simply a scheme to make a lot of
money out of the credulity of the
public. Anybody with the least bit
of sense knows that the whites are
not going to allow Johnson or any
other negro to win the world's
championship. Johnson knows
that, so he's agreed to lay down for
money."

The governor characterized fights as
"hippodromes to fool fools." He
said he would gladly stop the fight
if he could, but that "all sorts of
frauds are allowed that nobody has
the power to stop." Then he added:

"Sometimes a man's public views
do not agree with the private ones.
Now that my private views have
become public I do not care a con-
tinuent what anyone thinks."

"Johnson is no fool. He knows
he would have to whip every white
man in the country will be told that
a white man has demonstrated his
physical superiority over a negro
and everyone who has no sense will
rejoice in the 'victory.'

"After 'vindicating' his confi-
dence in himself Jeffries will 'retire'
and Johnson will make more money
out of credulous fools.

"There was no chance to get Jeff-
ries back into the ring until he had
been assured that he would win.
He does not need the money, and
he has everything to lose and not
enough to gain. Johnson has little
to lose and the prospect of getting a
lot of money."

"Suppose the affair is not a frame
up, what chance would Johnson

have? He would knock himself out
if necessary to avoid winning. This
fight is to be a 'lead pipe cinch.' Undoubtedly it will be a fine spark-
ing match, as that is necessary for
the moving pictures.

"I would like to interfere if I
could, but the only thing that would
justify my interference is a riot. I
do not think that will occur."

King George V.

His Majesty, George V., by the
grace of God, King of Great Britain
and Ireland, and of all the British
possessions, and Emperor of India, was born at Marlborough
House, London, a stone's throw from
Buckingham Palace, on June 3, 1865, and
was the second son of the late
King Edward VII., who, at that
period, was Prince of Wales. He began
his career as a cadet of the Royal
Navy on board the training ship
"Britannia," when twelve years of age. In 1877
he became his brother, the Duke of Clarence,
then heir presumptive to the throne, started upon a two years'
cruise around the world aboard the
"HMS Osborne." His return home
was the return home Prince George,
as our new monarch was then designated,
was gazed upon him as a
"Colonial" and "North American" prince.
This was followed by his promotion
to the rank of lieutenant in
1885, and to that of commander in
1891. The removal of the old royal
title of "Duke of York," borne by so many
princes distinguished in England's
history, in Prince George's case
was from 1891 onwards. Consequently
we must begin to speak of him as
"the Duke of York."

He was the
twelfth child of this queen since
the accession in the reign of Edward III.
about 1330. At the same time his
elder brother, the heir presumptive,
was created Duke of Clarence.

The next year, 1356, the kingdom
and empire were thrown into mourning
by the untimely death of the Duke of
York. His son and heir, the
Duke of York, ascended the position of
heir presumptive to the English
throne. This was soon followed
by the birth of a son by Queen
Elizabeth, the Duke and Duchess of
Tech, which was celebrated with all
suitability and appropriate pomp and
ceremony.

The death of Queen Victoria on
January 22, 1901, raised the then
Prince of Wales to the position of
Edward VII., and thereby transferred
the position of heir-apparent to the
Duke of York. His new reign was
marked by its opening of the
colonies and overseas possessions of
Britain on behalf of the Queen and
with still in the memory of many
of our Canadian readers. King
Edward VII. marked the home-coming
of the Duke of York from his
tour of the Orient by creating him
Prince of Wales, the title borne for
the past six hundred years by the
Prince of Wales of England.

In 1905 the Prince of Wales left
England in company with his consort
for an extensive tour through India,
which brought him much political
and beneficial results from a political
point of view, as a means of introducing
the native chiefs and princes of
India to the new ruler and his
sovereign, the future Emperor of
India.

In celebration of his safe return
from the tour around the world he
was entertained by the London cor-
poration at the Guild hall on Decem-
ber 5, 1905, on which occasion he de-
livered his well known speech to the
land "to wake up."

In 1908 he went to India, and when he
returned there was another celebra-
tion. On this occasion he said that
the task of governing India would be
made easier if we, on our part, infuse
into it a wide element of sympathy
and friendliness. His 1908 trip was
not a success from a political
viewpoint. In 1908 he visited Canada
to attend the celebration at Quebec
and Ottawa.

The prince is less democratic than
his father, and does not have such an
affection for the people of India, therefore,
that after his accession to the throne, the court galantries, which
were always a feature during Ed-
ward VII.'s reign, were discontinued.

His six children are Edward Al-
bert, Albert Frederick, Victoria Alexa-
ndra, Henry William and John
Charles, and one daughter.

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MISS HOMELIGH: Perhaps you won't believe it, but a strange man tried to kiss me once.

Miss Cutting: Really! Well, he'd have been a strange man if he tried to kiss you twice.

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Storyettes

TEACHER: "What kind of a bird did Nonie send out of the Ark?"
Small boy: "A dove."

Teacher: "I was surprised to find that the smallest boy in the class is the only one to know."

Big Boy: "Please, teacher, his father keeps a bird shop."

I SHOULD like," said a book-canner to a merchant whose sanctum he had invaded, "to call your attention to a little work which I have here."

"And I will call your attention to a mighty mass of work which I have here!" replied the man at the desk.

MRS. MOUNTJOY BELESSIAS (after several collisions). "It strikes me, Mr. Rutherford, you are much more at home in a boat than in a horse."

Little Bobbie Rutherford (the famous Oxford oxswain): "Yes, by Jove! And I'd sooner set eight men than one woman any day!"

A T a racing meeting I once attended," said a sportsman the other day,

"there was, among other horses, which started a gelding called Bother. An Irishman named Murphy, taking a fancy to the, was a very odds on favor in his favor. Toward the conclusion of the race his favorite happened to be in the rest of all, on which Murphy bet."

"Ah, by Jabs! There he is! See how he drives them all before him! Botherman forever!"

WHEN John Wannemaker the other day advertised for a coachman, he had a great number of applicants. One of them he approved of, but told him of his character, answered, he would take him on the terms they had agreed to.

"But, my good fellow," added Mr. Wannemaker, "as I am rather an ugly man, it may be proper to inform you that you every evening after the business of the stable is done, shall expect me to call at your house for an hour to attend family prayers. I suppose you can have no objection to this."

"Why, as to that sir," replied the fellow, "I do not see much to say against it, but I hope you'll remember it in my wages."

A JOURNALIST recently wrote to a friend:

"Biarritz is on the tumultuous Bay of Biscay, and Cambo, where Rosat lives, is only a dozen miles behind Biarritz—on the ridge in the Basque mountains. I tried to interest Rosat in his Basque home," he went on, "but it was useless. I did see him, though. The young man is a real jester. Big like a bear. He cracked a lot of jokes about his father's rooster play, pretending that they were all jokers from the text-book. I am sorry to say, however, that he certainly ran on the following scene."

"Chantecler, the epomonic rooster, is discovered in company with his wife, Li le la, a grumpy old hen. They are seen feasting upon young pullets."

"Chantecler asks his favorite spouse, 'Where are our two eldest daughters?'"

"'A-hem,' said Chantecler, 'they have entered the ministry.'

"'Oh, all right. They were poorly qualified for lay members.'

MAYOR SHEEHAN was ridikiling the pretensions of a political organization.

"He takes," said Mayor Sheehan, with a smile, "too much credit. He's a good man, Captain Farmer. This farmer comes home one night down from a banquet, and throwing himself down in a rocking chair before the stove, he says:

"'I'm about tired out. Be the cows in the barn?'

"'Yes, Adoniram,' said his wife.

"'I'm about tired out,' he said, and headed for bed,"

asked the farmer, and he took from his pocket a cigar with a gilt band about it.

"'Yes, Adoniram.'

"'Chickens ain't locked up, though, be they?'

"'Yes, Adoniram, long ago.'

"'They was chopped for mornin'.'

"'Yes.'

"'Ducks picked and wagon wheel mended, and the market?'

"'Yes, Adoniram.'

The farmer lighted the cigar, yawned and said:

"'Well, then, just hand me the Farm Journal and draw me a mug of cider, Maria. I'll turn in soon. Farmin's beginnin' to tell on me.'

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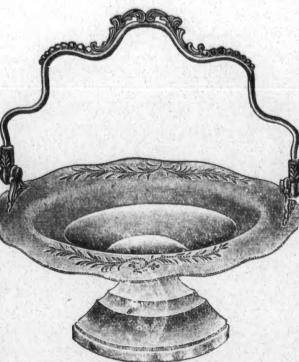
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TOMMY. "the schoolma'am asked, "why are you scratching your head?"

"'Cause nobody else knows just where it itches.'

NO man can serve two masters," said the priest to one of his parishioners.

"I know that, yer Reverence. My brother tried it, and now he's doing time for bigamy."

At a ball in Washington a finished coquette gave Senator Chuncey M. Dewey her fan to hold, and asked him if he could flirt a fan.

"'No,'" he replied, "but I can fan a dirt."

PARENTS: "My wife and I were particularly gratified over a letter received from our boy the other day announcing that he leads his class."

College Professor: "Ah, yes. The boys march into class in alphabetical order."

I WILL TELL YOU A STORY

A WOMAN sued her husband at Clerkenwell county court, and Judge Edge, asked the attention of the jury, who were a bit slow in getting a little story. There was once a king of France who was very fond of clock-making, and tried to get half dozen clocks to go together so he could never get them to go exactly to the same time. That is illustrative of husband and wife, really. You see, that they can always live together with some little difference. You can hardly expect to always be of the same mind. You should try and bear with one another.

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DAME FASHION'S DECREES

DAME FASHION has lots to crow about this season beside the "Chantecler" fads which extend from hate to my lady's candy box. In the first instance comes the creation of a diminutive "Chantecler" perched on the corner of the sweet-meat box with a tiny trumpet in one claw. The Chantecler hat has taken several forms beside that of the befeathered and jeweled bird. It may also be seen in a colored straw trimmed with red velvet, the crest of the brilliant comb of the barnyard aristocracy. Then there is the "Chantecler" vest of large mesh black net with "Chantecler" black figures, but such extremes are more ridiculous than smart.

There is much to be learned from the ribbon saleswoman this season. She will tell you of the bordered muslin gowns which are incomplete until finished with ribbon, girdles and



Grey Pongee Gown

bows. The stiff ribbons are selling again as well as the soft satins and muslins for millinery. The black ribbon has dominated the market for several seasons, but this year finds the colored velvets taking the markets.

Some of the soft velvets with moire backs come in Alice blue, in plum color, in apricot and in sage. The "watered" backs make them an apparel on one side of the other and the satin backs are made in colorful twisted trimming if possible. Among the more novel are the velvets, with a border of Persian figures along one edge.

The most popular are still popular and are used with ribbons and silks of old design. Supplanting the metal effects are the ribbons with the metal thread interwoven with the figures. Everywhere one sees large assortments of moires in every possible shade, plain or patterned, and in two-toned or glace effects. They are still large, and it is not likely that their popularity will wane until the summer has ended; moires are capable of many fascinating arrangements and uses. Rich black, dark tints and white moire ribbons for the coming autumn season will be popular.

For spring, lovely scarfs trimmed with the feathers of bright birds are in preparation. Some are made entirely of feathers, not the feathers of rare birds, but just the feathers of our barnyard poultry, arranged with wonderful taste and skill. These scarfs are quite unlike the bows of old days, they are stoles which tie in the middle, and are not simple at all. The lining is generally in a pale tint, with black plaited mouseline over it finished in a little plaiting at the edge. These parures are rather costly so far, but they are worth the price, and the wear is permanent. These scarfs have been worn in Paris with muffs, but we are discarding muffs here, though the scarfs will be convenient for all summer wear on the beach or porches.

Handsome parasols were shown with their ferrules lowered to the depth of three inches or so with shirred piping, and instead of the regulation strap fastening a large ivory ring attached to a long ivory silk cord holds the cords in place. The ribs are hidden in the fabric so that when closed the colored border has somewhat the effect of petals.

One new model is in light-blue satin, with a deep border of jetted lace. The stiff lace is a popular feature of this with a gold top. A jet ring serves as a clasp.

Renaissance lace has been restored to favor for parasol tops, and is attractively combined with silk in a varied pattern. The lace is made of fine crocheted silk, and likewise one of Dresden silk, with applique of point de Venise bands.

It has never been made clear to the casual observer whether the beauty of crochet lace, or of any other good lace, is in fact, in collar form, or in any form whatsoever, when it has been strung around the neck and hitched together somehow at the back.

It is better, either wearing a collar nor making use of an elegant bit of lace. Merely to put on an article is not to make the best use of it.

It is a trifle odd when it is in the shape of a stock, should be built up carefully by hand with a narrow edge of insertion matching it in pattern until it covers the neck so that the wearer will enjoy its use.

In the case of wearing the regulation size and, as usual, much too long for the deliberately constructed throat, it is, by common consent, cut and basted into a career hem, then hemmed by hand with the fibers of stitched and seventy threads. The sides are made partly by hand with a tape-covered collarbone, and on this side lace buttons are sewed to the number of four or five for a high collar. Button-holed loops are made down the edge of the right side.

Then comes the trimming, a few loops and any other neat needlet of less intrinsic value, demands a dress neck cut to fit. There will otherwise be a wretched turner, with pins showing or falling out.

The woman of the whole woman gives the impression of being correctly garbed. Though we may not agree with her taste, we acknowledge hers as equal or superior to our own and those admirably neat conditions. The reverse is also the case when put together, whose gaupines are lapped three inches or more.

Don't string a tie round a stock collar built for the use of a mere cravat, and don't wear the turnabout linen collar, unbrodered at plain, with a pine cone. The assumption is that the four in hand has been forgotten.

Soiled ruching is an abomination in the eyes of the fastidious; wear rather the plainest of plain linens stocks or collars, and there will be cause for neither comment nor commiseration.

With the influx of seekwear it is scarcely believable that sufficient models are not furnished in the common collar cases to enable windows to supply ideas to dethroned women.

There is little excuse for the careless flannel neck. If it is not possible, for reasons, to supply for yourself a garment of quantity of strong lace stocks, such as Cluny, which will launder indefinitely, there are left to you dozens of neat turnover collars and as many Windsor and four-in-hand ties or bows to match the gingery or linen frock when the cloth suit has been stored for the season. Neck neatness is demanded of the well-dressed woman.

LEGENDARY LEGENDS

MANY curious legends are still current in European countries concerning curses, hereditary or otherwise. One of the most striking instances on record of the apparent fulfilment of a curse occurs in the history of a British family, the Montagues. This family owned the Egrmont estate at Midhurst, now held by the Earl of Egmont. This estate belonged, in the days of Henry VIII., to the Roman Catholic Church, being a dependence of Escombe Priory. The last of the family, Sir Thomas Egmont, had renounced his Protestantism and presented the confiscated property to Viscount Montague, who, though himself a Roman Catholic, had, it appears, no scruple in accepting it.

He was immediately excommunicated against the spoliation of the church, and finding such protest to be of no avail, she cursed the Montague family with "curse of fire and water," and foretold its extinction.

It is true, however, that so long as the Montagues continued to practise this curse was inoperative. But in the eighteenth century the then Lord Montague married a daughter of the famous Cardinal Richelieu, and under her influence became a Protestant. Tales were told of secret meetings held in the famous Cowdray Park, but efforts to hold similar meetings in the chapel always failed owing to the fact that the lights were mysteriously extinguished.

It is further supposed that Sir Protestant Montague, on his death-bed, reverted to the ancient faith, a circumstance which, it may be, accounts for the fact that, despite the curse he died peacefully in bed. But he did not live to see the curse fulfilled. He was drowned in the Rhine while trying to shoot the falls of Schaffhausen; and the legend has it that the messenger was met at Calais by another messenger with the announcement that Cowdray House had burned to the ground.

This tragic fulfilment of the double curse of "fire and water" was still a secret when the Montagues went to have Mass to propitiate the ruined mansion, resting still in any way. The family removed to a lodge in the park which has since been much enlarged and become the present Cowdray House.

The estate passed to the sister of the drowned heir, and, not many years later, the curse of water was again realized. After two sons were drowned by the capsizing of a boat before the very eyes of their parents. The title went to the next son, who was drowned, who died without heir, and the family became extinct.

As somewhat similar to this collection of coincidences, there may be cited the following:

Three brothers were sent to a regiment stationed in the Punjab decided to build themselves a house on a hill overlooking the Sutlej River, and in doing this they trespassed



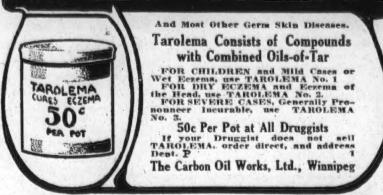
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upon the sacred ground surrounding the tomb of some half dozen martyrs. An old Michelangelo in charge of the tomb endeavored to persuade them to move the site of their house, but finding them obdurate, cursed them with Oriental malice, declaring that not one of the three should die before he had paid his debt to the world.

The curse was disregarded. The house was built. Shortly after, one officer was killed while tiger-shooting, while another met his death playing polo. The third died so dangerous a life that he was compelled to leave the country, dying in his bed. He was sent home, however, recovered, and returning to India two years later, was drowned going up the Ganges in a boat.

On the same day, so runs the legend, the river Sutlej overflowed its banks and washed away the house.

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Upon the straw, straw is placed, the size of the compass of about two hands, the size of the compass of the two hands, are firmly tied together in little sheaves and stored away in barns. After the straw is dry, it is ready to be used to catch the heavy summer dew and to bleach in the sun. The straw is then cut up into small bunches and classed.

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The council of the Village of Crossfield will meet in the hall known as the Bishop Hall on the first Tuesday of each alternate month, commencing with February at 7 p.m.

By Order of the Village Council
5-5t-x P. I. McAnalley, Chairman.

Public Notice

This is to notify the owners of cows within the village that if the said cows are not kept closed up at night, to prevent them from becoming a nuisance, the council will be obliged to enforce the Pound law.

By Order of Village Council
Chas. Hultgren, Sec.-Treas.

AROUND THE TOWN

Charles Dickens, the Calgary watchmaker, was in town Tuesday.

Miss Mora Byers and Mrs. Frank Devier visited in Calgary the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Cameron returned Saturday, after an absence of several weeks.

J. S. Martin went to Camrose Saturday on real estate business, returning Tuesday.

Secretary Boyce has been busy this week putting out some very attractive posters for the Agricultural Fair.

The stores of Crossfield have arranged to close on the 22nd, in order that all may have an opportunity to attend the Fair.

A challenge from the Bowden ladies' baseball team appears elsewhere in this issue. Doubtless the Crossfield ladies will accept.

A meeting of the Board of Trade was held on Monday evening, arrangements for the Agricultural Fair being the business of the evening.

All applications for Government Hail Insurance will receive prompt attention by applying to G. W. Boyce. Office one door south of "Chronicle."

We are pleased to state that Max Baskin, of the Sunny Belt Elevator, has arranged to remain in Crossfield instead of going to Fort Saskatchewan as had been his intention.

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A lively runaway took place in town Monday. A team tied to a hitching post on Railway avenue broke loose and when last seen were making good time on the trail northward.

The Council is having a lot of grading done on Railway avenue this week. This street has been low in places, making it impassable in wet times. The grading should make a big improvement.

Airdrie will hold third annual sports on Tuesday, June 14. A good program has been prepared, which includes horse races, cowboy race, bucking contest, baseball, foot races and other athletic events. There will be a dance in the evening.

At the Board of Trade meeting on Monday night it was definitely decided to give a public dance in the I. O. O. F. hall on the evening of the Fair, Wednesday, June 22nd. This will fill out the day's entertainment very acceptably to the young people.

Rev. W. G. W. Fortune gave a temperance lecture in the Methodist church on Tuesday evening, his subject being "On the Water-Wagon through Ontario." The attendance was light. Mr. Fortune expects to return in about a month and will no doubt be given a better reception at that time.

Challenge

The Ladies' Baseball team of Bowden challenge the Crossfield Ladies for a game of baseball to be played on the 22nd of June. Address communications to Mrs. F. L. Harris, Bowden.

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Recruits are wanted for the Fifteenth Light Horse who will go into camp for twelve days on June 14th. Men owing their own horse preferred although some animals will be supplied. For further particulars address Major R. L. Boyle, Crossfield, Alta.

Notice

Wednesday, June 22nd, the date of the Crossfield Agricultural Fair, has been declared a Civic Holiday, by the Crossfield Village Council. It is requested that all places of business be closed all day.

P. I. McAnalley,
Chairman of Council

Notice

I decided to make a change in my method of doing business. On June 1st, the Crossfield Meat Market will go on a cash basis and no more credit will be given. All owing us on account will please call and settle, as it is necessary to have these outstanding accounts settled at once.

L. G. Fisher

Notice

On June 15th, the Farmers Meat Market will go on a cash basis, and after that date no more credit will be given. All owing us on account will please call and settle, as we must have these outstanding accounts paid.

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All matters of business pertaining to this district will be attended to at this meeting.

The office of the Sec.-Treas. is in the real estate offices next the Coronade

J. A. MacDougal, Chairman.
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L.I.D. 14-W-4

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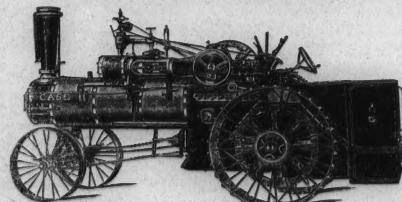
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CHAPTER XI.—(Continued)

The Shock of Truth

DOROTHY was rapidly recovering her self-possession. She turned to her uncle quite calmly, with the following words:

"How did you come by this letter?" she inquired. "You didn't really steal it?"

Garrison answered: "The letter was certainly stolen. My suit-case was rifled the night of my arrival at Branchville. These gentlemen hired a thief to get through to me."

"I've been protecting my rights!" the old man answered fiercely. "If you think you can cheat me out of my right!"

"I wouldn't have thought you could stoop to this," said Dorothy. "You couldn't expect to shake my faith in Jerry."

She handed Garrison the letter to show her confidence.

Garrison read the letter to his pocket. He turned up the corners angrily.

"You are both involved in a prison offense," he said—"an ordinary, vulgar burglary. I suppose you will see that the fact that I do not sue you shall I do nothing about it—today. But I warn you that I'll end more of this sort of thing, in your efforts to throw discredit on me, than you care to imagine!"

"Now there, kindly leave the room."

After that Garrison had the upper hand. Old Robinson was more than chagrined; he was furious. His rage, however, was impotent; there was no immediate remedy at hand. Theodore, squat and bald, returned to his attitude of friendliness.

"No harm's been done, and none was intended," he said. "There's nothing in Sam's rows, anyhow. Father's along."

His father took the task of discharging another load of anger after his son had followed his son to a room at the rear of the house.

Garrison closed the door.

Dorothy was looking at him almost wistfully.

"What does it mean?" she asked in a tone barely above a whisper. "They have really found out something."

"They suspect the truth. I'm afraid," he answered. "I shall be obliged to ask you a number of questions."

Her face became quite ashen.

"I can see that your employment has become very trying," she said, "but I trust you are not contemplating retirement."

The thought made her pale, for her heart, too, had found itself potently involved.

"No, I have gone too far for that," he responded, making an effort to fight down the dictates of his increasing love and keep his head thoroughly clear.

"In the first place, when you are me, the future is another name, for safety—say, Jeraldine. In the next place, I am very much hampered by the thought of my mother's secret. I think that the Robinsons expected some legacy which you are now apparently about to inherit, and your marriage becomes the sole condition of that secret condition of the will. Is this correct?"

"Yes, quite correct," she remained very pale.

"Very well, it was that died, leaving the will? And when did he die?"

"Another uncle, Mr. John Hardy—quite recently," she answered.

"You are right, of course."

"I have a special request. He died very suddenly. He left a condition in his will that I should inherit his fortune provided I should have been betrothed at least one month prior to his death to a healthy, respectable man—who was not to be my cousin."

"Indeed?"

"Yes. You can see I had to have a husband."

"Exactly."

Garrison thought he saw a light that closed over as he could have wished. He hastened to a question bearing directly upon it.

The Robinsons knew of this clause in your Uncle Hardy's will—say, two or three weeks ago?"

"No. They knew nothing of it, then."

Garrison's heart sank. "You are sure?"

"Absolutely positive. Uncle John was very secretive."

"I understand that the Robinsons, having known the condition of the will, had destroyed John's will."

"Dorothy, being uninterested, would therefore have no influence. Was that all?"

"You once alluded to certain obligations that I had, compelled by your son, to meet with your present employer."

"No, Mrs. —. Have these questions anything to do with our case?" She seemed to be frightened.

"I have a right to know."

"Garrison was almost in despair. There was nothing to do but go on."

"Did Mr. Hardy know anything of that?"

"No."

"You feared he might be in sympathy with your present employer?"

"No, Mrs. —. Have these questions anything to do with our case?" She seemed to be frightened.

"Whatever the status of the case, Mr. Garrison was in full agreement with Dorothy in this present condition. He knew very much desired to be alone."

"But—when shall I see you? What shall I tell?"

"I can't tell. Please go," she interrupted, and she sank back into her chair. The room, long and dimly lighted, was silent for a moment, and then her aching gaze.

"Please don't stay another minute."

"He could not stay. His mind was confused as to his duty. He knew that he

had agitated. "Please trust me—a little while longer! You probably have to return to Branchville and your work. We have determined that when you return, the onus will rest on me."

"That reminds me," he said, averting his gaze; "the work on which I am engaged is mine. It is the case of a man named Hardy. I'm glad he was not your uncle."

Her face took on the hue of death; her eyes moved, but for a moment she repled:

"I can't—can't—whisper."

"Because," he replied, with a forced smile on his lips, "the man up at Branchville was murdered."

She made no sound, but her eyes closed again, closing them tightly as he fled. He caught her quickly against his heart, a heavy, precious burden that he knew he must bear, though the angels of heaven ached her.

"Dorothy—Dorothy—forgive me," he said, but her senses were dead to his voice.

CHAPTER XII.
A Distressing Loss

Garrison, holding the lamp, quickly left the room and saw the candle. He crossed the floor and placed her full length upon its cushion.

She lay there so white and motionless that he was frightened. He felt it impossible to call the Robinsons. He needed water, quickly. He knew nothing of the house. His searching glances faltered on the vase of roses, standing on

loved her and wished to remain; he knew he was under orders and must go. Distracted and with worry at his heart, he took his coat off and went to the door.

"Don't forget I'm your friend—and protector," he said. "Please don't forget."

He took his hat, said good-by, saw her lips frame a brief, half-and-half reply, then slipped from the room, to avoid giving undue notice to the Robinsons.

He went down the stairs to the street door, and let himself out in the street.

Aware, in a dim sort of way, that a shadow had once more lurking on his heart, he weakly collapsed as he fled. He caught her quickly against his heart, a heavy, precious burden that he knew he must bear, though the angels of heaven ached her.

The outcome of his announcement concerning her uncle's death had affected Dorothy profoundly. She had left him without him. The blow had reacted on himself with staggering force. He was sick with the anguish of the remorse which had culminated. And yet, despite it all, he loved her more than before with a fierce, aggressive love that blazed with ardor to her future protection and defense.

His half-formed plan to visit the deal-hands had sold the cigar departed from his pocket. He had no particular facts or theories pointed as so many were pointing. Indeed, he knew not where he was going, or what he wanted to do at least. A sign of the window arched him to a sense of things neglected. The sign read simply:

BANK. SAFE DEPOSIT VAULTS.

He entered the building, hired a box

"Only by poison."

"I had seen the dead man's effects, of course. What did they comprise?"

Garrison detailed the dead man's possessions as found at the coroner's office. He neglected nothing, mentioning the cigars as candidly as he did the few important papers.

"In what mysterious manner could the man have been poisoned?" demanded Wicks, rising, with his watch in his pocket. "Was it to eat at his apartment or to drink?"

"Not that I can trace. The only clue that seems important, so far as that is concerned, is that he was in the room, alone, on the night of his death."

"That's something," said Wicks,

with the slightest possible show of ap-

prehension.

"With what?" he asked.

"With a knife."

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Local News

Harry Atkins has sold his team of ponies and buggy to Emil Wegener.

Born, at Crossfield, on Wednesday June 8, 1910, to Mr. and Mrs. Jno. S. Davie, a daughter.

Rev. W. A. Smith is back from conference to serve the church in Crossfield another year.

Jno. Becker Sr. is erecting a cottage on the corner of Oeler and Ross streets. The foundation was laid last fall.

H. H. Mackim is in Bowden at present. The boys are expecting him back in time to take part in the baseball game on the 22nd.

The new train on the C. & E. line is well patronized. So far it does not appear to have made an appreciable difference to travel by the other trains.

T. D. Thomas is engaged to work for the Bible Society for some time this summer to help to place a copy of the Bible, as far as possible, in every home in this part of the province.

Agricultural grounds have been secured immediately north of the school grounds. The plot embraces twenty-five acres. Work of laying out a half mile track and otherwise preparing the grounds for the fair is now in progress.

A very serious accident happened early this week to Jimmie Smart, out east near Beiseker, when the water wagon with the steam plow ran over him across the middle of the body. It was for a time feared that he could not live, but latest word is more favorable.

Another Earthquake in Italy

Rome, June 7.—A violent earthquake in central and southern Italy has occurred. It is believed that there has been heavy loss of life. The earthquake is the worst since the destruction of Reggio and Messina. Many towns have been destroyed.

Appoint Board of Conciliation
Ottawa—A board of conciliation and investigation under the Industrial Disputes Investigation Act has been appointed to deal with the differences which have arisen between the Grand Trunk Pacific railway company and its telegraphers.

Judge McGibson, county judge of Peel, Ont., is chairman of the board, while Donald Ross, of Barrie represents the company, and W. T. J. Lee, of Toronto, the men.

The board, it is expected, will commence to hold sittings without delay, probably at Winnipeg.

Object to Restrictions on Emigration
London—A conference of emigration societies was held recently to consider Canadian emigration restrictions, which insist that emigrants must be in possession of a sum of money before they can leave. It has been guaranteed farm work. It was pointed out that practically the whole of the artisan class is debared. The Canadian government has total cases dealt with by emigration societies. It was decided to ask Lord Crewe, secretary of state for the colonies, to receive a deputation respecting the matter.

Issue of Government Bonds
London.—The Dominion government, through the Bank of Montreal, has written for an immediate issue of \$5,000,000, paying 5% per cent interest at 99.5, due 1930. The 1930 loan is for the purpose of providing for maturing obligations. The price is 99.5, the highest amount ever paid for our loan in January and the price is favorable to Canada.

THE BIG CALGARY FAIR

The Entries for the Acre Yield Competition is Very Satisfactory—
All Space is Disposed Of

Calgary—Manager Richardson, of the Calgary Exhibition company reports that the space for exhibits in the Industrial building for the acre yield competition has been entirely disposed of, and he will have sufficient applications on hand to fill an additional building were the company so inclined.

The entries in the Acre Yield competition which has been inaugurated are coming along in great shape, and another draw is to be held shortly.

The new poster for the 1910 exhibition has just been received and it may be seen in the office. It shows the method of breaking the land in four different stages. First is that of the steam plow, second, a man with a scythe, comes a four horse team attached to a plow, next is plowing by power driven tractor, and finally the man may be a little previous, but farmers who have been breaking land this spring with steam plows, working day and night, will be the first to adopt the new method superior to the steam plow will have to be adopted if the times are going to keep up to the standards of Alberta.

CANADA OCCUPIES THIRD PLACE

Ottawa, Ont.—Comparing the growth of the trade of Canada with that of the United States for the past forty years, Canada is found to occupy third place. The comparison is based upon figures for the years 1860, 1870, 1880, 1890, 1900, 1905. The year must be taken, as that is the latest year at which the total trade of all countries is available.

The comparison, however, shows Japan in first place, the Argentine republic second, and as stated, Canada in third. It may be mentioned that with much reason Canada's position is really better than third place in view of the fact that forty years ago Canada was emerging into the world of nations and her foreign trade, therefore, comparatively small, amounted to only a little over \$65,000,000. The total production at that time of a little over 33,000,000 against Canada's population then of 3,415,000. Japan, therefore, shows in the former year a capitalization of \$19, whereas Canada's per capita trade increase of 1908 as compared with 1868 was 73.89.

Relations with Canada
Washington—Representative Alexander of New York, recently introduced in the house a resolution that relations with Canada should be strengthened and freer trade with Canada. A similar resolution was introduced in March last. Both were referred to committees on ways and means.

LOCAL MARKETS

Potatoes, per bushel	50c.
Wheat, No. 1, red, bus.	68c.
Wheat, No. 2, per ...	66c.
Wheat, No. 3, ...	64c.
Wheat, No. 4, ...	58c.
Wheat, No. 5, ...	52c.
Flax	1.25c.
Oats	18c.
Barley	29c.
Eggs	20c.
Bacon	1b. 10c.
Hogs, live weight	\$9.50
Hogs, dressed	\$12.00
Cattle, live weight	lb. 2/4c to 5c.
Cows, live weight	" 2 to 4
Dressed Beef	5 to 7 1/2c.
Dressed Veal	8c.

In the District Court of the District of Calgary

Between D. A. MacCrimmon of Crossfield, Alberta, Plaintiff; and Harvey Sower, of Crossfield, Alberta, Defendant.

To Harvey Sower the above named defendant.

You are notified that the above named plaintiff, has entered an action against you in the above named court for the recovery of the claim, a statement of which is filed in court whereby you will be given \$300.75 and costs.

And you are advised that if you dispute the said claim either in whole or in part you do on or before the 10th day of June A. D. 1910, cause to be entered for you in the office of the clerk of this court an appearance, and within six days thereafter file with the said clerk a statement of the ground on which such dispute is based.

And take notice that in default of you doing so the plaintiff may proceed in his said action, and judgment may be given in your absence, and without further notice to you.

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